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## A Coming Belle



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## Williamsburg Social News.

## A. & M. College Social News.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] West Raleigh, N. C., May 21.—The May dance of the A. & M. College Club was given in Pullen Hall Saturday night and was largely attended. Lieutenant P. L. Springs, the club leader, led the figures.

The 1910 issue of the Agromech, the annual publication of the senior class, was received from the publishers the past week, and the board of editors is being warmly congratulated on its great success.

The May school for teachers, embracing courses in agriculture and nature study, opened Monday, May 16, and will continue two weeks.

The final company competition drill was held Tuesday afternoon. The medal for the best drilled non-commissioned officer was won by Corporal R. W. Hewell, of Belhaven, N. C. The private's medal was won by J. I. McCallum, of Charlotte.

The officers of Company C awarded the non-commissioned officer's medal to Sergeant P. N. Pittenger, of Raleigh, and the private's medal to W. R. Mann, of Manchuria, O., on their record throughout the year, and not by a competitive drill.

The Literary Society has elected the following officers for the first term next year: President G. R. Ross; Vice-President, H. P. Whitfield; Secretary, T. W. Hewell; Treasurer, W. H. Graham, Jr.; Critic, J. P. Quinberry; Censor, H. R. Cates; Sergeant at Arms, L. M. McCallum. Officers of the Pullen Society are as follows: President, J. H. Brown; Vice-President, D. W. Sift; Secretary, B. M. Patton; Treasurer, T. D. Harris; Critic, J. W. Bray; Censor, F. T. Pagan; Librarian, T. H. Stafford; Chaplain, F. C. Smith.

The Mechanical Society at its last meeting for this year, elected the following officers for next session: President, M. P. Wyatt; Vice-President, T. W. H. Thorne; Secretary and Treasurer, V. P. Byrum.

## Bon Air Social News.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Bon Air, Va., May 21.—Mr. and Mrs. Edwin P. Laird, of Richmond, have moved into their country home, near here. David Laird was with them over Sunday.

Miss Hermine Moore has returned home after a month's visit to friends in Richmond.

Mrs. Polk Miller had with her as

home guests for the week-end, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Miller, Miss Margaret and Miss Frances Miller, of Richmond.

Miss Carrie Moore was the guest this week of Mrs. James Blythe Moore, Jr., at Glinter Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Fairlie Cooke spent Wednesday with Miss Harriet Cooke. The Bon Air Academy closed on Friday for the summer months.

Anton Thierman, of Richmond, was here during the past week.

Miss Harriet Cooke was the guest of the Misses Cringan over Sunday.

Miss Bertha Jahnhke was the hostess at luncheon on Wednesday, at her home in Richmond, entertaining the members of the Library Club. A delightful program was arranged by Miss Bessie Cooke, embracing the life and general style of the works of Mrs. Humphry Ward. A musical number by Miss Maude P. Miller, closed the work of the day, and a sumptuous repast was enjoyed by the following, attending the meeting: Mesdames Anton Jahnhke, Polk Miller, J. E. Cox, Jr., R. McC. Bullington, Cliff, A. L. Adamson, Le Grange Cooke, Misses Frances Withers, Minnie Jahnhke, Beren, Carrie Moore, Edith Hazen, Olive Moulton, Maude Miller, Grace Welsh, Bessie Cooke, Augusta Barfield and Harriet Cooke.

Bolling Watkins, of Norfolk, has returned to her home in Norfolk, after a visit here to Mrs. Alan Ferguson.

Mrs. David Ainslie was the guest this week of Mrs. W. W. Withers.

Miss Augusta Barfield is visiting Miss L. E. Cooke.

Miss Nell Christian was the guest of friends in Richmond this week.

Mr. and Miss Carter, of Powhatan, were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Meadows.

Nelson Cooke left this week to be the guest of his uncle, Benjamin Harrison, of Charles City county.

## Miller School Social News.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Miller School, Va., May 21.—Miss Roberta Fulton returned this week from Davidson College, N. C.

Miss Laura E. Jordan returned this week from Richmond.

E. Granville Taylor returned this week from Washington city, where he was a guest of his son, Dr. E. A. Taylor. Mrs. Taylor stopped over in Remington to visit friends.

Professor Johnson, of Charlottesville, filled the pulpit Sunday. He also addressed the Y. M. C. A.

## Buena Vista Social News.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Buena Vista, Va., May 21.—A meeting of those interested in a Fourth of July celebration and tournament was held on Friday evening, and the following organization was effected: J. H. Glasgow, W. Taylor, J. C. Taylor, vice-president; J. C. Taylor, secretary and treasurer. It was decided to have a big celebration on July Fourth.

One of the best recitals of the season took place at the Southern Seminary on last Monday evening, the occasion being the graduating recital in vocal music of Misses Grace and Rubenette Lee. They were assisted by Mrs. D. S. Bromley in violin and Miss Kathleen McCarthey in vocal.

The Amblers for the commencement exercises at the seminary are Rev. W. H. H. Joyce, a former pastor of the Methodist Church, of this city. He will deliver the address before the literary societies.

R. B. Embree, of Bristol, Va., is the guest of his father, E. L. Embree.

Miss Sarah Ruthford, of Glasgow, has closed her school for the season, and will be the guest of Miss Miriam Umholtz for a week.

A. T. Bromley, of Edinburg, spent the week-end with his son, D. S. Bromley.

Mrs. A. S. Cover, of Narrows, is the guest of Mrs. J. L. Campbell, of Amherst, spent Tuesday and Wednesday in the city.

W. Robertson spent Saturday and Sunday in Roanoke and Salem.

Miss Sophie Gilbert, of Lynchburg, who has been the guest of Mrs. J. L. Knight, returned to her home in Lynchburg Wednesday.

## Danville Social News.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Danville, Va., May 21.—Miss Wilmoth Cosby, of Brooklyn, N. Y., who has been the guest of Miss Kathryn Blinn, is now the guest of friends in Richmond.

Mrs. R. Bruce James and Mrs. J. H. Schofield have returned from Richmond.

Miss Eliza Hamlin left this week to visit friends in Charlottesville, Alexandria, Baltimore, and to attend the trials at the University of North Carolina, before going to Virginia Beach for the summer.

Mrs. W. L. Jordan is the guest of Mrs. S. Rutherford, of Glasgow.

Mrs. J. Pinckney Williamson returned this week from a visit to Mrs. Z. Taylor Vinson, in Huntington, W. Va. She will attend the annual meeting of the Federation of Women's Clubs, which met in Cincinnati last week.

Miss Aline St. Johns, of Mobile, Ala., is the attractive house guest of Miss Kathryn Blinn, Main Street.

Miss Mary Hunter Bethell, who attended the reunion in Mobile, returned home Thursday.

W. R. Guerrant returned this week from a visit to Los Angeles.

Miss Grace Jones was in Greensboro this week to attend a dance given by the Cotton Club, of that city.

Mrs. Thomas Hamlin spent Monday in Lynchburg, the guest of friends.

Allen Bradford Hart, of Mount Vernon, Ind., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. Rutherford Dula.

Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Jones, of Wilson, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. McAdie, Holbrook Avenue.

## Wytheville Social News.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Wytheville, Va., May 21.—Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Trinkle were the hosts of a very handsome and beautifully appointed reception on Friday evening, in honor of their brother, E. Leo Trinkle, and his bride.

On Tuesday evening, Misses Page and Riddle Moore delightfully entertained the Five Hundred Club, and a number of invited guests.

Mrs. A. S. Dicker, who has been



# A Matchless Suit and Dress Offer--What \$9.75 Will Buy

We will put on sale the greatest lot of Suits and Dresses ever bunched and offered at a special price. Not the out-of-style kind, but every one fresh from the maker's hands, truly things of beauty and merit, too. Such pleasing variety, such excellent taste was perhaps never shown in the get-up of a special suit sale.

## One Rack \$25 and \$30 Suits, \$9.75

About 50 Suits in This Splendid Lot, \$9.75. All tailored to perfection from fine hopsackings, French serges, diagonals, fancy stripes, solids, fancy striped directores and other novelties; all tailored in the very latest styles and nearly every new color is represented in this big Suit show. Instead of \$25.00 and \$30.00 they're \$9.75.

## One Rack \$12.50 and \$15 Linen Suits, \$9.75

About 25 Beautiful Linen Suits, made of pure all-linen materials, in light and medium weights, in white, gray and natural color. These Suits are all exquisitely tailored and finished. Skirts and coats are both the very latest models. Durable enough for the roughest wear and nice enough to wear anywhere. Instead of \$12.50 and \$15.00 they're \$9.75.

## Two Racks \$15 and \$17.50 Fancy Silk Dresses, \$9.75

This is without doubt the greatest SILK DRESS BARGAIN Richmond has ever known. THERE'S 300 IN THE LOT, ALL BEAUTIES. All new, all fresh, all stylish, all beautifully made and finished. NOTE THE MATERIALS. Genuine all-silk Rajahs, plain taffetas, fancy taffetas in small neat stripes and checks, choice dotted foulards and pongees. All finished with the latest fancy yokes of lace and Persian bands and buttons. In a word, this is the most beautiful collection of fine Silk Dresses ever offered at a cut price. \$9.75.

## Special Purchase of Fine Petticoats

150 in the lot, all right fresh from the manufacturer. These Petticoats are made and finished to perfection. In the lot you'll find plain taffetas and messalines and a grand assortment of fine Persians and Pompadours, in all colors and color combinations. Cut full, with deep tailored flounce and heavy dust \$3.98 ruffle. Values \$5.00 and \$7.50; special \$3.98.

## Fine Silks Simply Slaughtered

Not old Silks, but this season's best, in Silks you need. Study this list; nothing like it in price-making ever known.

## Double-Width Foulards Almost Given Away

These Foulards are of the very best French make, and are in the choicest colors and designs. 40 inches wide, were \$2.00 and \$2.50 yard; YOUR CHOICE, 98c per yard.

## A Great Sale of Taffetas

1,200 yards of Fine, Plain, All-Silk Taffetas, in several good staple colors; also, 10 pieces of excellent Black Taffeta, 18 inches wide, our 59c kind, now 39c.

## 15 Pieces Fine Corded Pongees

And Raw Silk Diagonals, in rich, dark colors for traveling suits, almost given away. Prices were \$1.00 and \$1.50 yard; YOUR CHOICE 49c.

## Fine French Foulards at Nearly Half Price

Absolutely the greatest Foulard value ever given anywhere. We have selected from our regular stock about 40 beautiful colors and designs, in the \$1.00 and \$1.25 Foulards, for 69c.

## Black Waterproof Silks

We sell the best Waterproof Silks on earth, and we know it. When you ask for Spotproof Silk you want it to be spotproof, don't you? We have it.

27-inch, special at 50c  
27-inch, special at 75c  
27-inch, special at \$1.00

## Corset Department—Second Floor

We will put on SPECIAL SALE three lots of the popular C. B. CORSETS, in all the choicest models. This is a rare chance to own one of the best-known and best-liked Corsets in the world at about half its value.

C. & B., \$5.00 and \$10.00 Models, at \$4.98.  
C. & B., \$5.50 Models, at \$5.48.  
C. & B., \$3.00 Models, at \$2.98.

## The Ferris Waist for Ladies and Misses

All \$1.00 and \$1.50 Ferris Waists, special 50c.

## Drawers

Circular Drawers of soft nainsook, trimmed with Swiss embroidery ruffle. These Drawers are very wide and cool, and take the place of a short petticoat, 75c, 89c, 98c.

## Corset Covers

Of fine, soft nainsook, yoke of Val. insertion, finished with lace beading run with silk ribbon, neck and arm holes trimmed with lace edge to match yoke. Special 75c.

## Chemise Gown

Of soft nainsook, finished around neck with torchon frill, run with silk ribbon, short sleeve, finished with lace edge to match. Special 98c.

## Misses' Gowns

In low neck, short sleeves, or high neck, long sleeves. 12 to 14 years. Special 89c.  
Children's Cambric Drawers/ 2 to 12 years, 12 1-2c.

## Remnants Almost Given Away

We have in all about 1,200 choice remnants of Silks and Dress Goods, all fresh and clean and in good, useful lengths. We've put a price on these for Monday which means less than HALF VALUE.

## Third Floor

The finest Ready-to-Wear Department in Richmond. If you want good merchandise for a great deal less than it's worth you'll find it here.

## Pongee Petticoats at a Bargain

Made of good heavy pongee, with deep tailored flounce; three colors only—light blue, pink and green; were \$1.25, now 69c.

## Get a Nice Wash Skirt for 98c

These Skirts are made of a nice quality linen and come in plain white and white with small black dot; plain tailored and well-tailored, too; \$1.50 and \$2.00 Skirts; special 98c.

## A Linen Coat Special

These are Dust Coats and are ideal for auto wear. Nice quality linen, 50 inches long. Natural color only. Were \$7.50; special \$5.98.

## A Waist Special

Only 27 in. lot. Made of fine nets, in cream and white, beautifully trimmed with Persian trimming and lace. All sizes. Were \$10.00; extra special \$2.98.

## A Fine Linen Dress Bargain

Only seven Dresses in the lot, but they're all choice, though just a little soiled; but they'll wash, for they're made of good linen. Colors, light blue, tan and white. Were \$10.00 to \$17.00; special \$3.98.

## Fine Toilet Waters and Extracts

At Half Price

One lot of about 200 bottles of the well-known "Samurai" waters and extracts will be thrown out and priced at HALF. The \$1.00 bottles will be 50c. The 50c bottles will be 25c.

## Fancy Silk Supporters at Half

One lot of about 4 dozen pairs of fine Fancy Silk Supporters, in black and colors, will be thrown out and priced as follows:

The \$1.00 Supporters, at 49c.  
The 75c Supporters, at 39c.  
The 50c Supporters, at 29c.  
The 25c Supporters, at 12 1-2c.

## Awnings, Mattings, Rugs

Bamboo Porch Awnings, complete with cord, pulley and hooks—

## NATURAL COLOR—

6x8..... \$5.  
6x8..... \$1.15.  
10x8..... \$1.40.

## GREEN—

6x8..... \$1.10.  
6x8..... \$1.40.  
10x8..... \$1.75.

36x72 Japanese Matting Rugs, all-over stencil designs; worth 75c, special 35c each.

Japanese Matting Rugs, handsome woven designs, size 36x72; worth \$1.50, now 98c each.

Mission Wood Tabourettes, made strong and durable; worth 50c, special 29c each.

Japanese Fire Screens, handsome embroidered and printed panels, light and dark colors; worth \$1.98, special \$1.55 each.

\$2.25 Hammocks for \$1.75. Close canvas weave, made good and strong, all colors, for \$1.75 each.

40-inch Fancy Printed Drapery Scrims, handsome bordered effects, all new patterns; worth 25c, now 18c yard.

# The Second Floor Alive With Bargains

If you want to save money this is your chance. Wash Goods, White Goods and Linens from the best makers in the world, and in styles and colors that are simply matchless. Special reductions for this week. VISIT THE SECOND FLOOR.

\$1.00 Ramie Linen, 45 inches wide, black and all colors, heavy weave. Special 69c yard.

New arrival in all the newest weaves Linen, in natural color, from 25c to \$1.00 yard.

\$1.00 French Shrink Linen, 45 inches wide, light weight for dress, all colors. 89c.

50c Ramie Linen, 36 inches wide, heavy weave, navy, rose, lavender white. Special 39c.

25c Scotch Gingham, 32 inches wide, all new; extra value for 17c yard.

25c Imported Gingham, 32 inches wide, in every imaginable style and color. Special 25c yard.

16 2-3c Linen Finish Sulting, 32 inches wide, all colors. Special 12 1-2c yard.

25c Mexican Ramie Linen, 32 inches wide, all colors, for suits. Special 17c yard.

30c Rough Weave Sulting, 32 inches wide, all colors. Special 25c yard.

35c Poplin, 27 inches wide, black and all colors, extra quality. Special 25c yard.

25c Cotton Diagonal, 27 inches wide, all colors, special 15c yard.

50c Shepherd Plaid Linen, 21 inches wide, very stylish. Special 35c yard.

50c Silk and Cotton Mixtures, 27 inches wide, all new weaves and colors. Special 39c.

75c Etoile, 27 inches wide, bordered effects, the season's most popular fabric, 50c.

New arrival in all the newest effects in Irish Dimity, 32 inches wide, 25c and 29c yard.

35c Imported Chiffon Lisse, 27 inches wide, striped and checked effect, all colors, 29c.

\$1.50 Long Cloth, 36 inches wide, 12 yards to piece, two extra values, \$1.35 piece.

\$2.00 Long Cloth, 36 inches wide, 12 yards to piece. Special \$1.65 piece.

25c White Figured and Dotted Swiss, 27 inches wide. Special 9c yard.

17c White French Lawn, 45 inches wide, very sheer. Special 12 1-2c.

30c All-Linen Lawn, 36 inches wide; an extra special for 25c.

25c Mercerized White Lawn, 40 inches wide, very sheer. Special 10c yard.

25c Striped and Checked Muslin for Waists, 27 inches wide. Special 12 1-2c yard.

16 2-3c White Dimity, 27 inches wide; an extra special for 12 1-2c yard.

25c White Poplin, 27 inches wide, fine weave. Special 17c yard.

50c Mercerized Chiffon, 45 inches wide, extra quality for 39c yard.

50c White Batiste, 46 inches wide, very sheer. Special 39c yard.

New arrival in every imaginable style White Dimity, at 25c yard.

75c French Nainsook, 46 inches wide; an extra value for 50c yard.

75c Imported White Dotted Swiss, 32 inches wide. Special 50c yard.

16 2-3c White Linen Finish Sulting, 32 inches wide, heavy weave. Special 12 1-2c yard.

25c French Linen Batiste, 40 inches wide, light weight. Special 10c yard.

Six extra values in Sheets, Pillow Cases and Bolster Cases:

42x36 Pillow Cases..... 16c.  
45x36 Pillow Cases..... 18c.  
42x72 Bolster Cases..... 33c.  
72x90 Sheets..... 67c.  
81x90 Sheets..... 75c.  
90x90 Sheets..... 79c.

\$1.50 All-Linen Hemstitched Pillow Cases, size 45x36. Special \$1.00 pair.

\$1.75 All-Linen Hemstitched Pillow Cases, scalloped edge, size 45x36. Special \$1.25.

\$7.00 All-Linen Hemstitched Sheets, size 90x96; an extra value for \$5.50 pair.

Three extra values in steamer rugs:

\$7.00 All-Wool Steamer Rugs, plaid back, size 61x84. Special \$5.00.

\$10.00 All-Wool Steamer Rugs, plaid back, size 61x84, extra fine. Special \$5.50.

\$12.50 All-Wool Steamer Rugs, plain back, size 62x90, shawl finish. Special \$3.00 dozen.

\$4.00 All-Linen Hemstitched Huck Towels, size 20x40, damask border. Special \$3.00 dozen.

\$5.00 All-Linen Scalloped Edge Huck Towels, size 20x38. Special \$3.00 dozen.

\$2.00 Huck Towels, blue and red border, size 18x36. Special \$1.50 dozen.

\$1.50 All-Linen Sheetting, 90 inches wide, extra value. Special \$1.00 yard.

New arrival in imported hand-embroidered Dimity and Linen Bed Sets, with pillow shams to match, from \$18.50 to \$25.00 set.